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NOTICE TO SHIPMASTERS.

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JARDINE, MATHEBON & Co. - Zin 2123 Hongkong, 5th December, 1870,

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Intimations.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

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Banks.

LIONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION.
SUBSCRIBEDGAPITAL-5,000,000 of Dollars.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, 27TH DECEMBER, 1870.

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

FURNITURE SALE.

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HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOOK

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

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Intimations.

1871-1873.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY.

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DI	Ka.	SUBSCRIBEDGAPITAL-5,000,000of Dollars.	REGISTERED UNDER THE COMPANYS'	TORNITURE GATE	OF CANTON.	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.	LUSITANO THEATRE
	36, BRLLONA, Brit. str., 2,000, Wilkin-	Court of Directors:	ORDINANCE, No. 1, OF 1865.	PIGUEIREDO & Co. have received instruc-	NOTICE.	NTOTICE is bereby given, that an Extra-	FRIDAY NEXT.
	an, Bombay 19th November, Cannanore 4th, and Singapore 12th December.	Chairman-H. B. LEMANN, ERQ.	Directors - "	TO MORROW.		IN ordinary General MELTING of Share-	the 30th instant.
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T	remove, from Manile and Amoy,	George F. Heard, Kan. Phomas Pyke, Eaq. S. D. Sassem, Eaq.	Livingston & Co., (Chairman). E. A. HITCHGOCK, Esq., of Messrs. Olyphant &	Handianals and Driving Room SHITE	Tatted a MEETING of the bhareholders will 5	DAY, the ritth day of Sundary, dear, nor the	Spectators onn be accommodated in the Boxes
G	ioneral, — Kemedion & Co.	A: Josef, Eag.	Co. Warren Davidage	us Spring CHAIRS; Easy and Arm CHAIRS.	be held at the Head Office, Hongkong, TO MORROW, the 28th instant, at three o'clock	purpose of the losing one of the Company's	and Gallery of the Theatre.
	Departures.	THIS PROBLE A LCIME IN LONGOUR TO SALVE	I resonant to D I Mb	THIRE . THE THEIR STATE AND A SECOND CONTRACTOR	T. W. C. 107 dette bree briege on and anna		Admittance, by Ticket only \$ 2.00
Dec. 2		Chief Manager.	Church Auguste. Eng. of The Chartered Mer-	VAS' S. DRNAMENTS, Diving TABLE and	Directora.	By order of the Board, G. N. MINTO.	Bores 10.00
1766. 2	A THE COS. LOT TAKED.	Shanghai David McLean, Enq. London Bankers London and County Bank.	W. H. Compart Esq. of Measts. Smith, Archer	TABLES, Breakfast, Dinner, and Dessert	ROBERT WATMORE,	Secretary.	Maskers Half price.
of the state of th	Glearances.	A	& Co.	SERVICES, Plat d. WARE, CUTLERY, Glass and Crockery WARE, ENGRAYINGS,	Doct Bury.	15d 2228 Hongkong, 22nd December, 1870. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK	and the same of th
	TTHE HARMOUR MASTER'S OFFICE	HONGKONG.	The Hon. P. HYBIE, of Messes. Turner & Co. , J. MURRAY FOREES, Esq., of Messes. Russoil	BEDSTEADS and MATTRESS'S, WARD-		The state of the s	Fond & Co., and at the Cosmopolitan Hotel,
	26ти Десемвин.	On Ourrent Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1	A Ca	ROBIS, Marble top Dressing, TABLES and	FOR SATE.		where plans of the boxes can be seen.
	Rose, for Manila.	on Fixed Deposits:—		WASHSTAND, Dressing & LASS, OUTCH: ES. CHAIRS, MIRRORS, Round TABLES,	DIVING APPARATUS-BY SIFBE OF"	D'NTII further notice, the Company are prepared to tow Vessels to and from	Ball to commence at 9 P.M. Refreshments to be bad in the Theatre and
	na Antonio, for Whampos.	For 3 months 2 per cent. per annum.		TEAPOIS, Window CURTAINS, &c., &c.		Whampon, and remetal them in their Stone	at the Cosmopolitan Hotel.
	rn Queen, for Suigous	10 3	N. J. Edg. Esq.	OFFICE FURNITURE.	A PE expressely for diving in 20 Encuous,	Docks (with Caisoon gates), at (40) FORTY CENTS PER SHEET.	
	lies, for Whampon.	LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED	Bankers.	THEMS OF SALE - Chale before delivery in	Mitchell and Dunmail. This Bligher will throw	By Order	MASKS and Costumes to be obtained at the Cosmopolatan Hotel.
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1	mel, for Saigon.	mainess transacted.	INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA.	PUBLIC AUCTION.	Pipes can be attached for that purpose.	## 663 Honekong, 7th April. 1870.	FOR AMOY AND SHANGHAL.
. 41	der, for Whampoa.	Drafts grunted on London, and the chief	Agents,—		Apply to ED. NORTON.	HONGKONG, CANTON, AND. MACAO	HE Stenmship
Varun	na, for Guam.	commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.	Swatow, Messra BRADLEY & Co.	I ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,	tf 2235. Hongkong, 24th December, 1870.	STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.	"GLENGYLE,"
J. F. 1	Erichnen, for Whampoa.	VIOTOR KRESSER, Chief_Maninger.	Fooglew, OLTPHANT & Co.	(if not previously disposed of by Private Con-	CARPETSK CARPETSI	NOTICE.	MacQueen, Master, expected bere to-day, 27th instant, will have quick despatch for the above
	Passengers.	No. I. Uncen's Road Bast.	Vingpo, "DAVIDSON & Co. Glanchai. Gibb, Livingston & Co.	tract), on THURSDAY,	OARPETS!!!	ngga na trợi li là chiế ± trì là chữ là thời giá	Ports.
· ·	Bellone, str., from Bombay, &c.,-	tt 10621 Hongkong, 23rd July, 1370.	Kinking R. Francis & Co.	the 29th Dec mber. 1870, at neon.	do. do.	HE Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the Second to the Sixteenth	For Freight or Passage, apply to WM. PUSTAU & Co.,
Cole	onel Burn, Capt. Warrington, wife and	HONGKONG AND OHINA GAS	Hunkow Gibb, Livingsron & Co.	on beard,—		day of January next, both days included.	Agents.
family	y, Capt. James, wife and family, Assis	COMPANY, LIMITED.	Chefoo. FERGUSSON & Co.	The British Barque	HE undersigned invite inspection of the	By order of the Board of Directors. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,	tf 2249 Hong long, 27th December, 1870.
H.M.	Surgeon Backbouse, and left wing of;	COKE TENDERS will be received until	Yokohama, " SMITH, ARCHER & Co.	of 393 Tons Register, iron built, and about 8500	UNDERMENTIONED GOODS.	General Agents	FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA.
	y <del>======</del>	TUESDAY, the 27th instant, for the	Kobé, BROWNE & Co. Saigon, BAUSORILO & SERNSEN.	piculs, upon 13 teet water, carrying capacity; with her Masts, 2 suits of Sails, Tackle, An-	received by late Steamers:	26d 2224 Hongkoug. 22nd December, 1870.	THE British Steamer
	Reports.	purchase of the Coke made at this Company's	Singapore, GILFILLAN, WOOD & Co.	chors, Calles and Appartenances, also a Steam	2,500 yards 1st quality TAPESTRY CARPET,	HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO	"ARRATOON APOAR,"
	e British steamship Bellona reports	Works, during a period of one year commencing from the let day of January next.	Tientein, John Hanna, Esq.	Winch, Boiler and condenser, as she now lies in this harbour.	from 75 to 85 cants per yards.	STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.	Capt. Miller, will have unmediate despatch for
	saving Singspore; and steering for the	Particulars can be obtained on application at	THE Company having been established, with	TERMS OF SALE Half the purchase-money	A CONTRACTOR OF THE CONTRACTOR	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.	the above Ports.  For Freight or Passage, apply to
then	for four days culms and fickle weather;	the Office, West Point. A. NEWTON,	its light () ffice at Hongkony and Agencies	to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance on the transfer of the vessel, which	BORDERING FOR SAME,	THE Ordinary Half-yearly MEETING of	GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
since	leaving Luzon Coast fresh monsoon.	Monager.	at the several places mentioned above, accepta	must be completed, at the purchaser's expense,	from 40 cents.	Shireholders in the Company will be	tf 2250 Hongkong, 27th December, 1870.
-(	of the state of th	204, 2100	risks and issues Policies of Insurance at the	within I4 days from the date of sale, payment in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.		held at the Office of the Company, Victoria, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 16th day of	FOR LONDON via SUEZ CANAL, Calling at SINGAPORE.
4	Auction Sales To-day.	HUNGKONG & UHINA GAS COMPANY.	Ports. N. J. EDE.	2205 Hongkong, 20th December, 1870.	50 VELVET PILE SOFA CARPETS.	Japoury next, at 3 o'clock P.M., for the pur-	HR British Steamer
	Nona_		-N. J. EUS. Secretary.	PUBLIC AUCTION.	\$6 50 to \$17.50.	pose of receiving the Starement of Accounts	"GREAT NORTHERN."
	AT CHEN	NOTICE On the 1st of December, and until further notice, the price of gas will	48. Queen's Road,	JAPANESE PORCELAIN WARE.		with the Report of the Directors, and the elec-	expected here from Shanghai on or about the
	TO LET.	be Four Dollars per 1000 cubic feet, instead of	Hongkong, 26th August, 1870, tr 612	Some of the same to be the same of the	VELVET PILE TABLE COVERS, \$7.50.	By order of the Bard of Directors	28th inst, will have immediate despatch as
	With possession on 1st Jonuary, 1871). LAT very desirable BUNGALOW, situate	Four Dollars and Fifty Cents as heretofore.  A. NEWTON.	VICTORIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY	I ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms,		AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents,	For Freight or Passage, apply to
100	at Pokfoolum, and known as "BEL-	Manager.	OF HONGKONG, LIMITED.	(late RAY & Co.), Queen's Road, on	TAPESTRY PILE TABLE COVERS, \$7.75.	26d 2225 Hongkong, 22nd November, 1870.	JOHN BURD & Oc.
and the second second	To at presen in the occupation of J.	110		the 29th instant, at 2 P.M., -	PRINTED CLOTH,	MEKRGE TAUFER	2251 Hongkong, 27th December, 1870.
	Hed Stuble, &c., attached. Water I eid on.	THE HONGKUNG FIRE INSULANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	CAPITAL \$1.500,000, IN 8,000 SHARES OF \$500 EACH.	A well assorted invoice of Nagusaki JARS,	superior quality, \$6.50.	GUN SMITH	ESTATE OF EDWARD MARSDEN MARTIN, (Deceased).
	ly to	and the state of t	PAID UP CAPITAL \$300,000.	VASES, GOBLETS; Dinner, Dessert, Toilet	The transfer of the second of	AND	
LE.	2192 Hongkong, 17th December, 18:0.	REDUCTION IN RATES ON CHINESE RISKS.	Board of Directors,-	and Tea SERVICES, NESTS of BOWLS, and BOXES, STATUETTES, Flower POIS, &c.,	ALL WOOL REPS.	PRACTICAL ENGINEER,	A LL persons indebted to or having claims against the said Estate, are requested to
11	TO LET.	——	S. D. SABBOON, Esq., (Messre, David Bassoon,	&c., &c.	\$1.25 per yard.	No. 17,	communicate with
	VERAL apartments facing the, Praya,	ON and after the 15th instant, the minimum	J. F. BUXEY, Esq., (Messer. Edulico Francisco,	2243 Fongkong, 26th December, 1870.	**************************************	tf 1852] PRAYA CENTRAL. [Oct. 19	G. W. SANDS.  Executor.
	suitable for Offices or Dwelling House.	Chipres Fremises in this Colony will be reduced	Bons & Co.	PUBLIC AUCTION.	Also,	NOTICE.	of 2252 Honekong, 27th December, 1870.
	2175 Hongkong, 14th December, 1870;	to Two per cent, per manum.	HERMANN MELCHERS, Esq., (Messrs: Melchers, & Co.)	T ANE, CRAWF, RD & Co. have been in-	BINDING AND LOOPS.	MR. JNO. D. HUMPHREYS is Trustee in my Estate, and will receive all payments	IVENER DESCRIPTION OF TRACETORS COMPANIES
	TO BE LET.	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managera,	G. STAY OVERBECK, Esq., (Consul General for	No. 3, Mosque Terrice, the residence of Colonel	I to a second to the second to	due to me. Persons having claims against me	GARTER A Wather Class Inches
	With Possession on 1st Oct. next,	Hongkong Fire In urance Co . Limited.	A		For Cash only.	I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I	OMA OTEDA E, the processor
		Action Designation 14-1 37 mention 1870	Austria.)	HIGHT, H M. 29th Regt., M.N.L., on		are requested to forward to him particulars of	
	HE HOUSE and OFFICE, No. 9. Gough	tf. 1997 Hongsong, 14th November, 1870.	AUGUSTINE HEARD, Esq., (Messre, Augustine Heard & Co.)	FRIDAY NEXT,		the same without delay.  C. LANGDON DAVIES.	The Canton Insurance Office.
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MANUFACTURERS AND DELLESS IN HAVANA AND MANILA CIGARS; TOBACCO, &c.  If 2124], 61, QUEEN'S ROAD. Dec.  COMMISSION AGENTS,  GENERAL STOREKEEPERS,  AND  COMMISSION AGENTS,  11422 QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGRONG, ARD  FHOTOGRAPHY:  THE rooms of the undersigned will be closed from this date, for about one month during his absence from Hongkong, a THOMSON, and 2055 Hongkong, 23rd November, 1870.  W. 1LLIAM DOLAN having returned to Hongkong, has resumed his business of SAIL MAKING.  W. 1LLIAM DOLAN having returned to Hongkong, has resumed his business of SAIL MAKING in all its branches, at his olphace in Duddell Street, and solicits the putron age of the Public.  Is BE HANDLEY,  Next to the P. 2.0. Coal Stores, to 16811 HONGKONG, SOHP FLUMBER (COPPER SMITH, Next to the P. 2.0. Coal Stores, to 16811 HONGKONG Sept. 15  JUST LANDED AND FOR SALE.  PRESH CALIFORNIA OATS.  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The Victoria Fire Insurance Company of Hongkong, Limited, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Secretary. The Victoria Fire Insurance Company of Hongkong, 24th December, 1870. CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR HOLLIDAYS.  THE undermentioned Banks will be closed for public business on SATURDAY, the Slat instant. Hongkong, 20th December, 1870. Yor the Oriental Bank Corporation, JAS EERWICK, Acting Manager, Hongkong. For the Chartered Mencantile Bank of India, London and China, E. ARTHUR, Manager. For the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, WM. BOYD, Acting Manager, Hongkong. For the Comptoir d'Escumpte de Paris, Hongkong Agency, G. PIETSCH, Manager. For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, JAMES GREIG, pro, Manager. For the National Bank of India, Linday Manager. For the National Bank of India, Allanger. For the National Bank of India, Allanger. For the National Bank of India, Allanger. For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, JAMES GREIG, pro, Manager. 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Hongkong 18th November, 1870.

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HE Celebrated Empress, Victoress, Public Auction on the 11th January, 1871, at moon, of which full particulars will be shortly published. Proposals for the purchase of the entire concern with the Stock in Trade. signed, and take immediate delivery of their Curgo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consigners' risk

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HONGKONG, DECKMEER 27TH 1870.

An interesting article appears in the Satur- would not be averse to progress. Our author trip up the Yangtze to Hunkow. His party that great German Liberal party which despises day Review upon the question of the Tientain says :tion, but very grossly exaggerated. Only wages on the construction of the works. one side with regard to it has bitherto been to a large number of other questions con-This has been exaggerated into a charge of and happiness of the people, desiring to obtain political power; and imaginations heated with sectarian fervour have easily worked up a picture of political in- such as the present to the whole work, eleeping accommodation being provided trigue utterly unwarranted by fact. The time | but it may be mafely recommended as thewill doubtless come when the truth of this roughly worthy of perusul by all interested been purchased, and have been served out to question, as well as others of the like nature, in the important questions connected will be fully understood, when we may hope to hear a little less of the mescripulousness noted, and great paigs have been taken to dr in the village of Sings, and filling up and the matural halige place before the reader a description of the direction o nity" of China journalists. These charges be regain works, inside of the defence dich. There before the reader a description of offence and on the terms be re- gen works, inside of the defence dich. There before the reader a description of offence and on the terms of the course of investigation it was proved of copelading peace at once, and on the terms are altogether, unfounded, and it may be gretted that the author has not entered are plenty of other si ilar nuisancos which added are sufficiently absurd in themselves, seeing that they involve the proposition that they involve the proposition that they involve the proposition country. He points out that it differs matethat there is something mysterious in an rially from the ideal standard; but he does have been relieved at the B fuge. advent to China which at once entirely not enter upon the point of where the essenchanges the commercial and journalistic tial differences are, and by what means this.

REVIEW. Journey in North China, Manchuria, and Eastern Mongolia, by the Reverend A. WILLIAMSON, I.A., Agent of the National Bible Society of Scotland .- London: Smith, Elder & Co.

(SECOND NOTICE.) After reviewing the various influences at present at work in China, as already noticed, the Rev. Mr. Williamson proceeds to give some in practice, the most democratic country in valuable opinions upon the future prospects of foreign relations with the country. He had no faith in the idea of an indefinite extension of treaty ports and Consulates in of the lion. W. H. Severd, and of Geo. F. China, but he is fully slive to the importance | Squard, E.q., U.S. Cousal-general at Shanghai. of this vast country being opened up. His idea is that this can be accomplished by the introduction of Railways and the adoption of a system of passports. He says: --

"This would secure all that is necessary for the development of the country, shrinte the necessity of minur agencies by large firms, and entail little or no expense on the part of foreign Governments. The railways would of course made a most extraordinary charge against a require to be managed at first and for long by Corporal is H.M. :9th Regiment of Madras foreigners; but that might be done by the Native Infantry, accusing him of attempting a creation of another service, such as the Justical "do" in an exchange transaction for rupeer. Customs, and thus would in no way eppose. but rather be subservient and a source of strength to the native Government."

that is in so far as it indicates that one great | charged with flying colours, step towards the solution of a great part of the difficulties at present existing would be the introduction of improved means of intercommunication. But it is to be feared that the author unconsciously assumes the absence of the very difficulties which stand in the way not for stealing a bag of bamboo shoots from the only of the introduction of railways, steamer Kinshon. but of an extension of steam navigation. or even of the residence of foreigners for the transaction of business. Before a railway can-be introduced into China, we must have security of something like good government, the property of one Charles Nelson, a samen to their work was offered, and only in a few and if we had such good government, though boarding at Marshall's, which garment covered villages they were greeted as devils. The imrailway communication would tend greatly him at the moment of his arrest; also another perial proclaimation issued for the information to consolidate the new order of things it shirt which was found in the possession of a of the people and officers concerning the would not be an essential to them, but only Chinese hawker, and a cont which was found at punishment of the offenders at the Tientein a natural adjunct. . There is an unfortunate a sliop in Laucar Row. tendency in all speculation on the China question to resolve itself into something like an argument in a circle. "If we had such and had been turned out if his boarding-house. and such an improvement the present abuses because he would not ship as a cook, was sent would not exist; if the present abuses did to gool for fourteen days with hard labour. not exist it would be easy for us to have such tal of nine-tenths of the arguments that have been advanced. But how to remove the difhern advanced. But how to remove the difficulties neturally or singuity in the Gaston Birna, Defendints pleaded the by an absolution of the Boulear and theory for law of the great and the properties of the great and the pr

"I sympathize with the published op nions of H. K. Sir Rutherford Alcock, H.M. Minister, that the Treaty should be revised impartially; that we should hear what the Chinese have to may, as well as our own countrymen; but I humbly think we ought nover to lose night of the speciality of the case as regards the Chinese They are in a state of transition, or rather differentiation; new thoughts and new ideas, and new means of warfare, bare got abroad among them.; formenting and exciting their, minds. Year by year this ferment is increasing, and to arrest its course is as impossible as it is undesirable. The old paths will not now do; Ohina can never again be governed in the old way. The country is too large, and foreign ideas have made far too great progress for that. New-channels must be provided for the new-ideas: new means must be adopted to meet the emergency which has arisen, size there will be confusion worse confounded. China is like a sick man under a course of medicine; baving put him in this condition, we must not leave him alone, far less trust him to his own devices, for that would prove his rain. We must take him in hand, point out the proper courses; and, as for as possible, induce him to follow them, until we have set him on his feet again in restored health and fresh vigour, qualified to start on a new and glorious career: I do not despair of the Chirese being able to rise again from their prostration, or even of the present Government being able to purify and re-organize the country; but new means must be adopted. In the present position of China nothing is so likely to do her real and permanent good as the introduction of railways. Moreover, it appears indispensable to the Government of the country. Unless there be some means provided of rapidly concentrating troops at any given point, I do not see how permanent peace and security can be established in this country. Steam or anarchy appears to me the only alternative now left to the Chinese people."

It is satisfactory to note that the conclu-sions which the Rev. Mr. Williamson draws of the British ship Kildonan, were charged by from his personal knowledge of the temper | Michael Featherstone, P.O. 35, with having of the Chinese people is contrary to the ideas struck him when in plain clothes. The complainwhich have been so industriously circulated ant assured His Worship that he was perfectly by those of the anti-progression school, that the people at large, would make a strong opposition to the introduction of railways of all; he had reported him to the apperintenand similar improvements. The account dent for being drunk. Dismissed. given seems to point to the conclusion long arrived at by many of those best informed with regard to the China question, that the opposition is in reality on the part of the. mandarins, and that the people, if left alone,

Massnere. In the main, the views adopted [ "The apologists of stagnation and retrogresare correct, and contrast strongly with much sion may that the Chinese are not prepared for anch e angre, and predict all manner of evil that has been published in that journal be- consequences. I have seen as much of the fore. It is to be regretted, however, that a country as any of these alarmiets, and maintain great deal more stress than is justifiable is that the people are not only prepared for raillaid upon the alleged interference of the Chinese society than they did that of England' Catholic Missionaries in political matters in or France or Belgium; for it is marvellous how the interior of the country. This is an old soon men get accustomed to changes which are for their benefit. In the first instance, immense accusation, not without some slight foundar numbers would find employment and good truffic would gradually, as the rails were laid down, assimilate itself to the habits of the heard; and, as has been the case with respect people; mines and now sources of industry would be brought juto operation. The agriculturnil resources would be greatly developed, and nected with China, a very different conclusion commerce in all its branches would receive a has been formed on the subject to that which | powerful impulse. The increased lateral traffic is correct, and would be arrived at, were the would absorb the present carrying trade. Rail whole subject understood. The fact is that, control of the central Government put an end from the peculiar state of China, the weak- to rebellions, would place commerce on a scenre ness of its Government and the consequent basis, equalize the administration of justice, modify those famines which so often threaten tendency of the Chinese in all parts of the and frequently paralyse large portions of the country to form themselves into associations | Eurpire; moreover, they would provide means as a means of protection, it is almost an im- for the diffusion of knowledge. They would introduce a new element of life and activity possibility for Missionaries in the interior to among the people, stir up dormant energies be otherwise than a political element of some | widen the sphere of observation, develop new influence and importance. As a rule, how views, evolve new wants, create new business, and destroy obstructive prejudices. They would ever, they have not interfered in any way increase the intercourse and barmony between with the authorities, beyond at times enter- Europeans and Chinese, bringing buyers and ing protests against the persecution of their sellers face to face. They would place the tranait duties-that source of so much mischiefconverts as converts - a course in which they on a estisfactory footing; and, in short, would, are justified by the rights conceded by Treaty, in a thousand ways, promote the advancement

> general tone of the work under notice. It would be impossible to do justice in a review and relieving 200 to 300 people every day; with China. All the best information which has of late been forthcoming is carefully commencement has been made in attempting to Daily News, that the Empress is a brave been his instrument; and at the day named, or he would be liable to be im- the Generals had not declared the vast Empire has held together even under so much corruption as is everywhere to be seen. subject would have been interesting. The evidence of the Proclamation upon the subtruth, which has not yet been touched upon ject of the Tientein massacre being published by any writer on China, appears to be that, like many other countries, the practical and the Shangbai, it is not surprising that in other theoretical government of China are distinct

The above sketch will give an idea of the

the world. We note the arrival by the steamer Trapancous

remark which fell from Mr. WADE-that

China is, in theory, the most autocratic, and

POLICE INTELLIGENCE. BEFORE C. MAY AND J. RUBBELL, ESQS.

December 24th, 1870.

Cherry-yek-shing, master of the Yek-loong European goods shop in the Canton Bazaar. The defendant, Krighna Suny; bowever, told so plain and straightforward a story in explanation, and brought up such a straight-tongued This idea is probably in the main correct, witness to corroborate all, that he was dis-

Lee-a-yone, was fined \$1, for gambling at

Chan a moon, of Poon-yee, a lawker, was pont to "not for three months with hard labour

LARCENT. William Hanson, of America, sedunan on board the American ship Kingheher, was sent the city wall. Two of the Missionsrus have to gad for six months with bard labour, con- just returned from a trip into the interior, exvioted of having appropriated a Crimean shirt; tending as far as Ping-tai city. No bindrance

Henry blassingham, who stated that he had although it has been received by the officials. MADEABBEE NAIVETE

The Chronicle and Directory for 187L | Sir Rutherford Alcock will be read with in- | already cut down, and was only appropriating | the timber, so he was convicted of unlawful possession, fined £5, and in-default of payment the Comant dismissing it amid cheers from a was sent to gaol for three months.

POSSIBLE DUT NOT PROBABLE.

Bandeira, confessed to having robbed his muster amiss! of \$121, when he deserted from the ship. The Railway works are progressing. Mr. charms, and a gold Siamase coin, value \$". See there, to commence operations, Ayow, defendant's mistress, having a hon o in for money defendant give ber the watch and connequence she had pawned it in a shop where the bad previously received loans which had been the cut having much effect. made to her on various articles of clothing! about the charges however she could not say any thing, the locket produc'd in Court she had given the prisoner, it contained her likeness. Fined £10, in default three months imprisonment with hard labour.

DISCHARGED. The seven Chinese in the employ of Mr. Bade were discharged yesterday from their bail, as there was no renson to connect them with the robbery which happened during the night of the 21st inst, while Mr. Bade was absent in Canton. The properly that was carried away was anumerated as follows: one gold cross and pearls value \$25, an opera glass, and several small things, in all worth ab out \$25; the drawer in which the house silver was kept had been attempted, but without success.

P.C. NO. 35 DISTINGUISHES HIMSELY. Inspector Orlay described the party as all the worse for liquor, and complificant us the worst

THE NORTH The mail steamer brings dates from Shanghai. o the 21st instant. The following items are from the North China Herall of that date: -Mr. W. H. Seward bas just returned from a were rather severely stoned at Woodhang, by a lot of beggars and boys, under circumstances

which our correspondent describes. The Cycle mentions that Tsong kwo-fan ar rived at Kwachow (the junction of the Grand Canal) on the 11th instant, and pained on to Nanking. The newly appointed Tartar Lientenant-General for Chinkeaug reached his post on the same day.

The Cycle gives a summary of an edict which has appeared in a late number of the Peking Gazette, announcing the changes of which we spoke some weeks ago, as likely to take place, in the official arrangements at Tientsin. The post of Superintendent of the three northern ports, lately held by Chung How, is abolished and the office vested in the new Vicerov of Chibli, Li-hung-chang. A Taotai is appointed to the port of Tientsin.

some weeks ago on a charge of having shot a out the present struggle its most cornect and Chipapian at An Chalet, has been tried and acquitted. In the course of the trial, Dr. Jamieson raised a point about fees to skilled witnesses, which much needs to be settled in Shanghai. 'As a matter of justice a medical skilled evidence, in as much entitled to a fee as a lawyer who gives a client the benefit of his trained experience; and we believe the practice at home is founded on this view.

It is intended to hold the last parade of the year up the 22nd Dea; the programme will b a march out to the neighbourhood of Sikuwei. and a sham fight there between two detachments of the Force, each with its complement of cavalry and artiflary. The "enemy," who are to consist of Nos. 1 and 2 Companies, a great of this negotia ion had reached Loudon civily against the French. It is said that his Sir G.M. Giffard. At Westminster, the com- would be over soon after Selan. There is bulf buttery of Artill by and a detachment of up to Friday evening, and another attempt to seliences were incilitated by the national shabit mon law judges drew up the rules for carrying no doubt they were disappointed when they Rangers, are to assemble at 1.30 and start to make peace through an intrine with the Empress are to assemble at 1.30 and start to make peace through an intrine with the Empress are to assemble at 1.30 and start to make peace through an intrine with the Empress are to assemble at 1.30 and start to make peace through an intrine with the Empress are to assemble at 1.30 and start to make peace through an intrine with the Empress are to assemble at 1.30 and start to make peace through an intrine with the Empress are to assemble at 1.30 and start to make peace through an intrine with the Empress are to assemble at 1.30 and start to make peace through an intrine with the Empress are to assemble at 1.30 and start to make peace through an intrine with the Empress are to assemble at 1.30 and start to make peace through an intrine with the Empress are to assemble at 1.30 and start to make peace through an intrine with the Empress are to assemble at 1.30 and start to make peace through an intrine with the Empress are to assemble at 1.30 and start to make peace through an intrine with the Empress are to assemble at 1.30 and attacking press the assemble at 1.30 and attacking press are to assemble at 1.30 Force (the Miho-Monga and No. 3 Company) will assemble at 2, and start for the attack.

We are glad to hear that the Charity for the relief of Chinese pone, is in active operation, about 250. A number of widded garments have the most necessitous. A foreigner has been engaged to organize a labour system. Tools, bankets, &o., have been purchased, and a useful

HANGCHOW. We learn that inquiries mide as late as there. When we remember the obscure manner in which this Proclumation was posted in places there should be an entire disregard of fact which was once forcitly indicated by a published in all parts of the Ohiness Empire."

A Peking correspondent writes: " Wo-pre here driving along the same old weary road without hope, apparently, of improvement. Messra. Lin and Chih have returned from their experience in Europe, and have returned to Thrawny province, as a coward for the trials they have undergone unioner the Western now. Count Rechectonart is said not only to bold him blameless in the affair of the massacre. but to have described him as an ardent friend of the Roman Catholic Missionaries! And it is to be feared that, at the present moment, be will carry the day. For my part, I cannot but believe that Chung How knew what was brew ing, and could have easily prevented the mussacre, bad he chosen. But when the archangels form opinious, mortals have merely to

smoke their pipes and wait for creats. TUNGOHOW, A correspondent writes from Tangchow, it bantung, on December 13th :- There is no news of any importance here. The disposition of the people toward foreigners seems to have resumed its former indifference. Apparently in apprehension of war with Franco in the apring luge force of laborers has been employed for best possible state of repair; and by walls and gutes across the uncents, the citizens are now prevented from taking their afternoon stroll on mananore, has not yet been posted either at Tungchow or at Laichite-fon or at Pingtu,

YOKOHAMA.

ENGLAND AND OHINA.

The libel case brought by Mr. Ross Johnson (Saturday Review) urainst the Editor of the Japan Mail, is ended, The natiofactory atatement that troops from provided Gourt Public opinion is the grand Madras have been ordered to proceed to China. test in these matters. The conduct of Mr. seems to imply that Lind Granville has, with I. P. C. No. 99, charged Chan Awai and Ross Johnson in Court, and the language he the assent of his colleagues, abandoned Lord Chan Achoong, with having on their persons, made use of, have been generally condemned -Clarendon's injudicious policy of reliance on respectively, are pounds of lead, which had avi- here. But there is a drop-rooted evil somehow Chinese liberality and good faith. All the dently been taken from off some work, and a in our bar bere. Another lawyer, Mr. Marks, foreign communities have consistently protested triangular piece of from the framework of a filed an affidavit to the effect that, in his against the delusion which Mr. Burlingame drain cover, from which the above lend had been opinion; Mr. Ross Johnson was the man al- was employed to propagate in the West, and, stripped. Defendants claimed to have picked Inded to in the article. The Consul, however, the vigorous interference of the English Conup the articles. Fined \$2 caon, in default seven thought otherwise. Now comes the joke. Mr. and and naval officers in exacting redress for days' imprisonment. ..... Marks now brings he borge against the Mail, local outrages was unanimously applanded on saying the attack was made on him; after his the spot, although it was afterwards cen-Bathazar Pacheco, servant to Jonquim José affidavit too, that it was made against another sured by Lord Clarendon. It is pleasant to simoes, pursor of the Portuguine corvette Sa do man I Surely there's nomething in this world observe that, while in all other parts of the on the 20th of September at Macun, tog ther Worel has returned from Kobe, and a staff of of the two nations in China have invented for with a gold watch and chain, also a numb r of o wincors and witkmen will at once be sent the merurate and significant design Attacks on foreigners by two-sworded mon Fronch have also in general shared the feelings Wellington S'reet, stated that when she applied seem not quite to have died out. A German and opinions of the English and Americans; gentleman riding' towards Yeddo, the other and the Protestant missionaries have bucly chain, and bade her raise money upon it, and in day, was out at, but the thickness of his cont expressed the most carnest sympathy with the

> dull as usual, but the expense of printing a Chinesauntho-ities by the modified protectionite circular, wherein overything is bracketted which they claim over al! Roman Catholica. amount of intelligence on behalf of the Chamber guting their faith, and it is provided that no The following ships of war are in harbour :-Finglish Ringdove, Havoc, Manila : French -Venus. Dupleiz, Linois; American - Benicia, Idaho: Prussian-Medusa, Hertha. 12th December, 1870.

THE HOSTILITY OF THE GERMAN The Telegraph, of Oct. 27, referring to the fact that while the German press is denomicing England for committing a breach of neutrality, and secring alike at her sympathy and her gifts, not use word of reprosible or noousation is flung at the United States, asks what is the meaning of this onesidedness? What is the real, cause of hastility? One solution of the mystery might send a thrill of shame through us much as it detests the Junker faction, and which accepts Count-Bismarck himself as the I instrument of its own aims. As yet the press with England and France. He has from that of the Fatherland is free only in name, and at time been known as an agritator, hit erly honnewspapers will dance to any tune. It has been bis alliances with members of the Government suggested that Count Bismarok's policy is to have enabled him at different times to encape serve Russia, by so isolating England that, punishment for disturbances which he has prowhen the Eastern question shall again come forward to claim solution-as come it must-Breat Britain will not baye a single ally, and Russia may do whateshe thinks lit. At any rate, the great Slavonic Empire is arming; it has nestaunob ally in Prassia; and the feelings of an injury inflicted on France. It was ensier M jesty's appr val of the selection which had combatants ought to have got off and cut a way of Germany towards England are not directed in a friendly channel. The Telegraph makes no comment on such an explanation of the mysterious problem why the German press should be exhorting the people to dislike : country which has given the Eatherland throughintelligent sympathy.

THE ATTEMPT AT MEDIATION.

effort at mediation. It has requested Count

quence in policy was the only proof of strength. provided with garrisons. The apprehensions that about five months ago the defendant acted proposed by M. Favre; but as the German, of the foreign residents are evidently well as secretary to the "Great European Land, Generals are, and, indeed have been for the THE FRENCH LOAN. The Times of October 27 thinks the fact that December 10th, by some of the missionaries speculature in foreign mocks are more neutral much corruption as is everywhere to be seen. December 10th, by some of the missionaries speculature in foreign macks are more neutral prejudice against foreigners was made by prepared to supply contribution howes at "cost when a few weeks ago he spoke of the relation made by prepared to supply contribution howes at "cost when a few weeks ago he spoke of the relation made by prepared to supply contribution howes at "cost when a few weeks ago he spoke of the relation made by prepared to supply contribution howes at "cost when a few weeks ago he spoke of the most sorupulous bearers of the Red Cross."

In a cridence of the Proclamation upon the authorise most sorupulous bearers of the Red Cross. The former was however, and of the duty the Germans owed to Their approvalitestifical to the strong belief all paper press of Western nations, and combine of per cent, and the latter 25 per cent, over themselves to prepare for coming attacks of the amount which he had been charged for the fiery Gaul. The French are now reaping these articles, Mr. Lowis thereupon stated his the fruits of the treatment they have accorded the proper will ounkly restore by the maximum of its best articles. Mr. Lowis thereupon stated his Their approvalitestifies to the strong belief all of France, and that perce will quickly restore DChinese might perhaps urge in defence of their intention of charging Whether with attempt this country for conturies both in word and all that war has ruined and swept away. It not only in degree, but also in principle -a the promise "that the Proclamation shall be was supposed, therefore, that cautious English men with money to surest would draw back from proposale for a loan on terms, however favourable, which were presented for their ac-French Republicans. But the English Money had already been adopted in England. The In the fourth weak of October there were ledge of the invoteracy of this feeling on the Market in quick to recognise facts, and one fact which cannot be denied in that the whole their original mould. They will, probably, re- co-op ration, has acquiesced in the Government crive the distinction of magistracive in some of National Defence. The very atrangeness of the demand has perhaps co tributed to ed by printing it in large letters, and affixing last year. the demand for the stock. For a long time the French investing clusers have jealonely maintained a monopoly of French longs, and in France the investing classes have meant the whole nation. Even now. with universal atagnation in trade, if general disorganization of society, and an appulling destruction of wealth in north-eastern France. we do not doubt the present loun would be taken up with alacrity by Franchmen if there were any commercial contract which it would be conveniently negotiated. The French loan of £32,000,000, which was voted and subscribed for at the outbreak of the war, was to be paid in instalments fulling due at monthly intervals, to that the Government bus hitherto received ittle more than six millions sterling; and in the disturbed state of France it has probably been difficult to investors for the authorized amount of Treasury Obligations. The war, therefore, has been carried on with a remarkably

> not likely to hear an amendment of international Law on this bend suggested for the

world Americane profess hostility to England. the commercial and missionary representatives rotion of "the English-speaking people." The and the movement of his horse, prevented violims of the Tien-tein massicre. Two of their number, in answer to a request from Mr The Amateur Bramatic Corps bave opened Lay, English Consul at Tien tein, for an actheir theatre with great success, the barleague count of the damage suffered during the riots of " Aladdin" making a great bit. The concert | declined to facil tate any pecuniary actilement g von by the Germans in aid of the wounded which might provent the English Government passed off most farourably, some six hundred from adopting the cause of the injured dollars being collected. No further news as to French. But for the reason that all the the movements of the 10th regiment has reach- foreign residents share a common interest, and

ed un, but it is likely that they will remain here, that they are exposed to a common whether the marines come or not, at least until danger, there can be no doubt that, in I hima some definite stops with regard to Ohina bare I as clarwhere, plausible exquaes would be found for selfishness and apparation. In addition to Smallpox in very prevalent in the settlement, the general projudice against foreigness, the and one case of death bus occurred. Trade is French have given a special provocation to the "nothing doing," is carried on, showing an' By their trusty they have the right of propus of Commerce one e old hardly have expected, native Chinese shall be exposed to penal consequences for becoming a convert. The Catholic clergy, who naturally make themselves the advocates of their promelytes, represent the frequent violations of the stipulated impunity to their Ambausador at Pekin; and consequently the French agents are constantly interfering which religious communities are settled. few months before the outbreak of Tien tein. Count Richeohouart had exacted from the Vicercy of Nunkin full redress for various acta of oppression and of injury inflicted on French obupels in his province; and, amongst other demands, he had insisted on the degradation of a considerable personage who may be considered as the principal author of the recent outrages. It none ra that Chong kwo-abwai was prinoipel lieutenant and adopted son of San-ko-lin-ain, who is remembered as the only Chinese General who displayed vigour military onpucity in the lust war

time been known as an agritator, bit erly him-

panishuent for disturbances which he has provoked. He was well informed as to the political Bright. relations of the different foreign nations which whose motives and pratices are unintelligible signified in the namel way. priests and sisters of Charity who calls ted H. Storks.

with newspapers, have the advantage of disthe documents to blunk walls and hoardings. Our Special Correspondent at the German battling with Germany for the mere sake o punish the Chinese for the capture of a pirate. forts are captured.

He complains that a body of London merchants. A telegram, dated the 31st ult., from the R yal to confide in? Is not every peace with the third war, "to avenge the sufferings of Roman and that nothing new had occurred before the be actually encouraging about to attack us Catholic mi sionaries - we, who still refuse to city. straitened supply of really money, and the relies that will be given by the influx of the capital subscribed in England, though it may to a great extent opine back at once in payment f a conceivable that merchants in their engerness officers and 449 men. commodities, will be very considerable. We may soon hear of a German war loan if neace be not concluded before the assumbling of the North German Chambers next month, and Count Bismarck therefore, is not likely to complain of the wrong we are doing to Gormany by lending money to the French. There admail the legality and the expediency of loans to beiligerents; but, as both sides want money, and as we have money to lend to both, wo are

that Protestant and Catholic missionaries shall | threatened by the enemy. be allowed to preach their doctrines through ... Marabal Bazaine's brother was written protection of English and French cannon." Marshal being condemned unheard. Some of The French bave perhaps unwisely acquired by the Tours papers take up the same position ; treaty a right of establishing missions, not but the other French papers for the most part throughout the length and breadth of the land, follow the lead of the Government. The Phare, but in certain provinces, The English Go de la Loire says that the only effect of the in-

of the late atmoities was referred declarea, in I tin paper in Brittany. contradiction to Mr. Bridges, that "it is the im of the Catholic religion to teach men to be virtuous, and the Emporer Knig-bi king ago gave permission to spread this doctrine in his hieroy may be farly compared with our own Foundling Hospitals, &c. The desire of the Sisters is to found asylains for the miserable and poor. " Charity and meroy are their device. If therefore they are accused of abominable deoda; foreigners will be justly moved to wrath." Not having heard of Comte, or the Religion of re-spened with a firmer tendence, and un almost Humanity, Teeng-k wistin has not thought and I general rise out equantly took whose in quedefending the outroges on the French Sisters of Mercy by accusing the English of tyrannons interference with China, for more uppreroked, and prompted by for buser motives. than the French attack upon Germany ; yet There are many points of similarity between Chinese Mandarine and revolutionary fanatics in England. Both classes are students of certain branches of philosophy, and both are in the habit of appealing by inflammatory placeres to the passions and ignorance of the rabble, Since the ratirement of Mr. Beales to his County Court, the Positivists bive succeeded to the management of the assemblages of which meeting may be held to protest against the protection of European life and property in China; but the revolutionary sects and clubs made a far al mistake when they diverted their attention from the encourage ment of disaffection at bome to officious moddling with foreign affairs. Englishmen will not allow damagoznes

(Summaries from the Lordon " Daily News.")

and make to usurp the anthority of Parliament

honour and the commercial prosperity of the

when there is a question of vindicating the

Thirteen Ministers attended the Callinet | encape. In the last six weeks, indeed, the task Mr. Ourdwell the Duke of Argyll, and Mr. Mr Alderman Dakin, the Lard Mayor elect, spediments, stopping the way to any sortio, are represented in China, and he appears to | was yesterday presented by the Recorder to the however impetuous. But, in the first three or

to the ordinary Chinese mind, than against At the numination for Colchester yesterday, control France six works ago, bow different traders, whose desire of profit is readily appressive Sir Heary Storks and Colonel Learmonth were might the fate of the bountry have been to ciated. The harbarous native fashions of kid-proposed, Mr. Baxter Langley and Mr. Sangster . A hundred thousand regulars might have benapping children, and of using parts of the baving withdrawn. The show of hands was de- come a sufficient nucleus for 800,000 Mobiles,

foundlings and destitute children in their Last eve ing. at the quarterly convocation of with the frontiers. As it was, Bazaine allowmission schools. At Nankin the plot was the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Freemasons, ed himself to be shut in, leaving the Mobile defeated by the Vicercy Mar who had on it was ununimously resolved that a grant outside to shift for themselves, which they more than one occasion suffered for his con- of £100 be made towards the fund now were wholly incompetent to do. As his gal-Sismerck to receive M. Thiers, who goes to nivance at wrong inflicted on foreigners. If being collected for the relief of the peasan- lantry and skill are inquestionable, we must Versailles to ask an armistice. It is believed the recent report of the name instead of the troops after that Count Biemarck has complied, but M. confirme I, the crime may be regarded as an object of augmenting the fand, a public the defeats of Mars-la-Tour and Rez avilled Thiers has first to obtain the authorization of additional proof of the existence of a formid- meeting was held last night in Birmingham. | brade it unadvisable to incur the chances of the Provisional Government, which, as we have while compiracy: Having been buffled at Nan- ... Michaelmas Term opened yesterday with the another pitched battle. argued elsewhere, he is not likely to get, unless | kin, Chen-kwo-shwai undertook a pilgrimage | customary reception by the Lord Chancellor of | Much has been recently said upon the state either General Trochu is disheartened, or the to the grave of his fester-fatherest Tientsin; the judges and the Queen's Counsel. In the of public opinion in Germany concerning the Germin Chanceller is prepared to moderate and his arrival was immediately followed by Chancery Appeal, Lord Justice Mel- unexpected prolongation of the war. There is his domands. No news whatever of the pro- popular threats against foreigners, and espe- lish took his sent in succession to the late no doubt the Germans did expect the war ing Strasburg and a zone round it, but with Within a few days the attack on the French obscure manner in which the Act was framed. | and see I am driven to the belief that it would unexpected spirit and jud ment percuptorily Consulate and Cathedral commenced; and. In the Court of Bunkruptcy yesterday, a be erroneous to mistake this wish of a speedy refused. She hopes, she afficult, for a restoral according to some according tion; but will not regain her throne either by himself commanded one of the insurgent bands. | was granted in the case of New | continue it should to continue it appear imintrigues, or at the expense of France. "The It is more probable that, in accordance with castle. Mr. Registrar Roche, however, or perative. Notwithstanding that the military Government at Tours is right." We are no the usual practice of Chinese officials, he kept pressed his disinclination tot allow the process system of the country makes war sensibly felt, riends to Imperialism, but it is clear a letter himself in the background; and hitherto him of the court to be abused, and the rights of yet such in the general confidence in the mili found in the Emperor's enhinetand published by connexious and his influence have secured him creditors delayed, to consult the feelings of any tury and political leaders that, as these hold the Committee of Luquiry, from the answer to. from punishment, The Governor of the town. particular bankrupt, It must be distinctly the objects of the campaign are not yet attain-Bismurck, and from her manifestoes in the who has been simply degraded, seems to have understood that the Duke would surrender on ed, the people are willing to support them to

He was again remanded. pensing with the necessity of reasoning, and of According to a telegram from Dublin, past, and cannot help remembering with what being addressed exclusively to the ignorant Patrick Murphy, land-bailiff to Captain Lid- intense boatility they have been spoken of by mbble. Cheng-kwo-shwai could not have well, was murdered yesterday morning near nearly every-political celebrity in France up to

votaries of Comte's Religion of Humanity, who | 131,200 persons in receipt of parachial relief in other side of the frontier, coupled with the obsubstitute torollight meetings in the streets the metropolis, of whom 34,720 were in the servation that the French even now deem themof France, by loyal submission and by active for Parliamentary, discussion, have made the workhouses, and 96,490 were outdoor paupers, selves invincible, which makes everybody here independent discovery that their factious The total number showed a decrease of 2,511 look forward to another war in the wake of the nonceuse may be most appropriately propagat- on the number in the corresponding period of present one. Were the French to admit they

Mr. Bridges, who holds the second place among Hendquarters at Versailles says that the weather prestige, they would, perhaps, not be suspected the Positivist apostles mader the primary of is but, but that there is nothing in the wind of a design to resume the fray as soon as they Mr. Congreve, has published a new number of and rain to check the preparations of the besies can after the conclusion of peace. But with M. the Street Press, or sories of Comtist placards, gers. France, accordingly, has but little to Gambetta declaring the final victory of France. with the heading of "Rugland and China." hope from "General November." The sirgo, a matter of course, and indispensable to civil-With the same regard for historical accuracy will be pressed forward, the forts will be bom- zation to boot, the Germans ask which is shown in Mr. Beesly's statements, barded, and Paris will be deprived of its out- "What can we expect but to see them come that the lands of the French aristocracy were lying defences. Our Correspondent believes down upon as whenever the opportunity occurs? divided at the Revolution among the people, that it is the intention of the Germans to spare And the contingency being so very probable Mr. Bridges informs the idless in the streets the dwelling-houses and public buildings; and an one, ought we not to guard against it by that the first China war was undertaken he thinks that in that case they will be entitled securing those military and territorial a to protect the opinm trade, and the second to to demand that the city should yield when the vantages commended by the Generals whose

aided of course by an unscrapulous press, are headquarters at Versailles, states that M. Thiers French merely an armintice while they do not now attempting to force the country into a returned there on the previous day from Paris, renounce their old ambition, and should we not

lift our little finger to help France in her From the same source we learn that in the thing under the same favourable conditions as heroic struggle against the wanton continuance " hot and brilliant fight" near St. Deais on the formerly ?" of German invasion." To old-fashioned readers 30th ult., when the French were driven from

for gain, and journalists influenced by their We publish this morning a full account of says; natural and diabolical malignity, should com- the capitulation of Metz from our spacial cor. mit excesses for the purpose of selling opium, respondent with the German forces. Our coror perhaps of protecting piracy; but the tack respondent confirms the statements already of the French exercises upon the destinics of of averaging the wrongs inflicted on French made as to the sufferings of the troops from Europe. The constitutional vanity of the Roman Catholic missionaries oun sengoely be sourcity of food. For days at a time they had undertaken under the influence of mational no bread served out to them, and they had to unplement facts, becomes as terrible a scourge egotism or of selfish capidity. The inconsist live entirely on lean horseflesh. More than to themselves as to the nations around them. tency of leaving the French to fight out an un- 50,000 horses were consumed during the siego. just quarrel in Europe, and ussisting them to Our correspondent expresses his surprise that vanity provent the restoration of peace. Very avenge a cruel wrong in China, might perhaps Metz was able to hold out so long. Ite inha characteristic in this respect is that passage in admit of explanation and excuse. It must have bitants did not number more than 60,000-if so M. Favre's last circular, in which he depicts occurred to Mr. Bridges that the merchants many-and it had supported a population of the ravishing aspect France will wear when might have been more plausibly accused of a 230,000 for seventy days. A telegram from the perishing amid the flaring halo of glory and One immense advantage possessed by "legismounting to £40,000,000 a year; but he protimate" monarchy comes out strongly in this bably considered that his less advanced disciples visions, sufficient for the maintenance of a H.M.S. Rindows. It appears that, being an war. There cannot be a doubt that the King's might blue thought that such profits were sufficient garrison until March next, have been vain likely to follow the acceptance of the Ger-

than to themselves. Their right of tray lling t continues to receive addresses from the departis strictly regulated by treaty, and it extends ments and chief towns, approving the views it only to certain provinces. The statements has expressed in connection with the capiabout conlimines, railrouds, and telegraphs are talation of Mets. The purport of these atterly inacourate, for on all these, points the addresses is that the surrender of Metz Oninese Government maintains its policy of was not of shuneful treason, but that so obstruction, and it has been proposed to intro-duce civilization by force. Mr. Bridges, as a take new beart, and continue the struggle with preacher of the Religion of Humanity, is still increased ardour. Her spitte in fact must be more indigent at the alleged protension of com- war to the knife, and ne surrender. Our corpelling the Chinese by force of arms to telerate respondent points out that most of these adthe preaching of Christianity. "We insist dresses come from denortments not vet

the length and broudth of the land under the letter to the Monitour protesting against the vernment deliborately abstained from ad. famous treason which has led to the surrouder vancing a similar claim; and its lukewarmness of Matz is to supply additional motive for carryhas of on been consured by the various Mis. ing on the war, so that not only the invader, but his traitorous accomplices, may he punish-The high Mandaria to whom the investigation ed. The Phure de la Loire is the most influen

.The Meta prisoners are being rapilly sout away into Germany. . 70,000 are expected to go by way of Saurbruck, and 65,000 are marching through San Louis: Marshala Lebont and ominions. The Hospitals of the Sisters of Canrobert, who left the former place on Monday, arrived at Wilhelmshöhe yesterday morning. Marshul Bazaine arrived on Monday. The German siege guns opened fire upon Nen Broisnoh vesterday morning. Consols closed yesterday at 924 for money and to-day's settlement. The stock markets

THE "TIMES" CORRESPONDENT

-ON THE WAR. BERLIN, October 31st. From the numbers of Bazaine's army, as now neortained, it appears that the Prussians and to fight a stronger enemy than they supposed in the battley of Angust 16 and 18. The French, it is well known, lost about 50,000 men on those sangulary days, the Prussians for their part having about 30,000 dead and wounded Buzning, then, the last time he met the Prussued armies of Prince Frederick Charles and Steinmetz. The small superiority on the side of by Bazaine's fighting in strong positions, and having, moreover, the protection of the neighment, too, of Meta, by 210,000 men appears a bold undertaking when it is considered that the force invested was almost at large, and Imd'some of the strongest citadels in the world to support its sorties. The German outposts being distributed over a circle of nearly 50 miles, and their supports over nearly 40, it is voully not very easy to understand why General Bazaine should have found it impossible to effect his was hopeless, the fortress baving been surroundled by the besiegers, by a continuous line of earthworks, riflepits, and other artificial imhave natiofied himself that England, America, Lord Chancellor, at his Lordship's private re- four weeks of the investment, while the Prussian and Russia would remain tranquil spactators sidence in George-street. Westminster. Her defences were unfinished, a force of 160,000 to excite the populace against missionsries been made by the citizens of London was through 210,000, though, perhaps, with great whose motives and pratices are unintelligible signified in the usual way.

human body for me lical charms, auggested the clared to be in favour of Colonel Learmouth, the whole forming a new and effective army, accusation of similar practices against the and a poll was demanded on behulf of Sir strong enough to attempt the relief of Paris and intercept the German communications

founded; and the English Government would Emigration Society," and that two executions last hundred years, of the opposite upinion The Times of October 27 thinks the fact that ing mensures for the protection of its subjects. eircular which he had issued to the mayors of portunity, and acquire the territory that is to the English Money M. rket takes up the loan. The brutal murders of Tientain were prepared the provincial towns was also read. The con-enable them to ward of inture invasion with a France asks for with such unexampled avidity and announced by a method which has till struction to be gathered from it was that he greater chance of success than hitherto. Count is surely a good omen for France. No German Intely been peculiar to China. In the words of was the accredited agent of the Society in S'. Bismarck was but too accurate an intercan complain of English partitity, for our the Shanghai Courier; the appeal to the native Martin's place, and in it he stated that he was preter of the thoughts of his countrymen prepared to supply contribution homes at "cost when a few weeks ago he spoke, of the

practice that posters or placarde, as compared ing to obtain money by false representations. deed. The Germans are but too keenly aware how frequently they have been invaded in the the very outbreak of the war. It is the knoware beaten and that they had better give up

again were we to permit them to repeat the

The better to illustrate these popular reasonor writers of newspapers the climax seems flat, the positions they had taken with a loss of 30 lings, I will, in conclusion, quote a sentiment, and the instructed charge ambiguous. It is officers and 1,200 men, the German less was 34 the gut of which I have often encountered in convergation. The Bremen Weser Zeitung

> "It is remarkable what un important influence a single trait in the national character French, their insbility to realise and recognize Vanity has stirred them up in a frivolous war,

tor for procuring them the best terms jossible after thedi comfiture of 1815. Though Talleyrand saved all be could for them, the French, in their uncontrollable coincit, only look to what he was compelled to sign away, and therefore insist upon regarding him as a rascal. They have no Talley and now, no man sufficiently contrageous to bend to the inevitable. Sheer edupulsion alone can terminate the war. We know it and are prepared for it."
The Krous Zeitung declares that only those

France-Tireurs who wear no uniform and are not officered by gentlemen appointed by the G vernment will be treated as brigands. All others, including foreigners, are considered as soldiers, and allowed to benefit by the laws of civilized warfare.

THE MONEY MARKET. (Pall Mall Gazette, October 22nd.) In order to avoid possible loss through miscalculation as to the future value of money and the plenty or scarcity of espital in this Market, it is desirable that as far as possible an accurate estimate abould be formed of the influences which are at work, and which will come into play as a result of the war. It would scome be a dangerous inference to draw as some do. Tromoya, Muster, expected here on or about that this unfortunate war is not likely ma. Tromoya, Muster, expected here on or about that this unfortunate war is not likely ma. terrially to affect the value of maney, but, on the contrary, that a more than adequate supply and easy rates will continue. That money is more likely to become dearer than remain cheap appears to be supported by the following considerations:—First, the supply in this Market is known to consist largely of foreign capital, which must be withdrawn as time goes on, whether the war terminate soon or not. Secondly, it must be obvious that the enurmous expenditure already incurred on both sides is so much capital sunk by Prussia and France. and that the money markets of both countries are to such extent poorer. Neither is the money no spent nevely the same capital available for found in other plucos, as is erroneously inferred. Thirdly, the system of hourding which is resorted to by all nations in troublous times is, there can be no doubt, carried on now to a large extent in France, and if the war were to cense to morrow, it would be a long amount of freight, for which, apply to time before these hidden reserves would be OLYPHANT & Co. liberated, Fourthly, a tremendons loss will be to 2220. Hongkong, 22nd December, 1870. mistained in both the belligerent countries through the with brown of so large a part of the propulation from their usual pursuits, and this mounts a diminution in the material wealth of the world pro tanto, rendering necessary extensive credit operations, which will be felt in all European money markets. Sixthly, the cargo engaged, will have a quick dispatch for bol lera of accuritics who are now unable to realize will have no alternative but to go to market at the earliest opportunity, and will have to be paid probably in g. ld. The extent to which the ready money of both nations has so far been exhunsted is proved by the loun operations already revealed on both sides, which is some indication of the effect that may that may be expected if the struggle be prolonged on borrowed capital. Herry, Muster, will have quick despatch for the Time only can show whether or not the above port. elightly increased activity which has been experienced of late in this Market, and the sligness which all lenders manifest when offered long paper for discount indicate the turning of the corner; but it may be remarked the opinion is held by a very few in financial circles that the effects of this war will not materially influence the value of money.

MISCELLANEOUS. Nearly all the larger choral societies of the United States have celebrated the "Beethoven Centenulal."

INGENIOUS REFLECTION BY "THE VILbut to be a vice were to be often screwed .- Judy. WAY? INDEED!-Diogenes rolled his tab at time of excitement. Englishmen feel that Captain Gurdequi, having the greater part of they ought to do something just now. Why her Cargo engaged, will have immediate desnot smuch China. - Punch. Mr. Robert Stephen, a tea-dealer in the Bo-rough, London, has been killed through som-

nabulism. He opened his bedroom window in his sleep, and fell into the yard. A young school teacher at Canton, Magsachusotts, named B.rstow, was stoned to death on the 9th October by four of her pupils, boys. The young murderers were taken into oustody. Coldrey, Master, will load here for the above Trinity has so far broken through the rous port, and have dispatch. tine of the past as to appoint a Dissenting Senior Wrangler - Mr. W. S. Aldis - one of its muthematical lecturers. Mr. W. S. Aldis is son

of a Dissenting minister at Plymouth. An Angel or Mercy. - Evangeline: "Gan. FIHE & 1 British Chip ... pa dear, does tell Jack not to kill that poor Boobstile!"—Grandpaps (delighted): "And "LADY BOWEN," why not, if y darling?"—Evangeline: "Because I want to kill it myself."—Punch.

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playfully struggling for a bundle of wire, and both fell into a large tank of muriatic soid. Samuel Smith, one of the men, swallowed some of the adid, and was killed:

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to Mesars, Glover, of Longton, was passing over the level railway crossing at Sideways, when the wheels of the waggons got fast on the rails, and before they could be extricated a pilot engine came up, and killed both the burses. THE Clipper Ship INSTRUCTION AN SCIENCE WANTED,-Mrs. Malaprop, who has lately removed to the neighbourhood of King's Cross, was terribly alarm. Capt. Graham, will have a guick despatch for ed at the Great Morthern Lights, and could the above ports. but be convinced that it was not the Station on fire. The neighbours, she declares, say eccentricity is the cause of them. - Punch.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGRNOR DECEMBER 27TH MORNING. The drug market for Bengal during the last three-days has kept steady with a fair native demand. The following are this morning's quotations:—New Patna, \$ .774; New Benares, \$5474 to \$5524; Malwa, per picul, \$680 to \$635; Patna, 12th sale on three weeks time \$5775; Patna, New, let sale, \$535.

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BALES ON DECEMBER 24TH 1870. As reported by Chinese Tin. 50 slabs, at \$30.80, by Hung-fung to Tin, 50 slabs, at \$32.00, by Hang-fung to Hongkong merchant. Shanghai, Cotton, 100 bales, at \$18.75, by foreign merchant to travelling merchant. merchant to Kin-hing-cheong.

see merchant to Fook-tai. Relations, 206 picula, at \$3.75, by Hop-bing to for taking a model of the month will be for deed of them are perfectly acquainted. To Woods, Motal, &c., &c. Hongkong merchant.

Shangkai Cotton, 100 bales, at \$18.25, by Hop-bing to Chuechow merchant.

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Hongkong, 13th December, 1870,

Post-Office Notifications.

A mail will close. For Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow.--Per Yaso, to-morrow, the 28th instant, at 10.30 For Manila. - Per Encarnacion, at 1 30 r.m. to morrow, the 28th instant, instead of at the time previously notified.

MAILS BY THE " ENGLISH PACKET."

The English Contract Packet "EMEU, Agent, under the Style or Firm of E. FISCHER Europe, &c., on WEDNESDAY, the 28th metant, at noon." Money Orders on any of the Money Order. Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted until 5 P.M. on the 27th instant.
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> Letters, &c., may be posted during the night n the box left open for their reception --Lettors for registration will be received until O A.M. on the 28th instant. Letters may be posted until 10 A:M. on the Stb instant, without late fee.

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Late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom vil Brindin, or to Sin-gapore, may be posted on board the Packet from 11.30 A.W. to the time of sailing, on payment of a Late Fee of 48 conts each in addition to the postage.

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General.

General Post-Office. Hongkong, 14th December, 1870.

MAILS BY THE "FRENCH PACKET." The French Mail Packet "PROVENCE" will be disputched on TUESDAY, the 3rd January, at noon, with the Mnile-To and through the United Kingdom via Frindisi; to France and other Continental States (in a closed mail to France), to Saigon, Singapore, Galle, India. Aden, Seychelles, Reunion and Mauritius, Fuez and Alexandria. The Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Newspapers, Books, &c., until 11 A.M. on the 3rd January, after which no Letters can be received. Money Orders on any of the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted

entil 10 A.M. on the Srd January. F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General. General Post Office,

Letters for Registration will be received.

Hongkong, 26th December, 1870. It is hereby notified for general information, hat the Postage on Letters addressed to Norway, when forwarded via Southampton, will benceforward be 36 cents for each balf ounce, which may either be paid in advance, or it may be left to be collected on delivery of the Letters. Unpaid Letters will be subject to an additional charge on delivery.

F. W. MITCHELL,

General Post Office, Hongkong, 23rd August, 1870,

It is hereby notified for general information hat, the Postage (which must be paid in adanced) upon letters addressed to Prince Ed. ward Island, will henceforward be as follows. When forwarded via

Brindish.......... 42 cents each half-ounce

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Southampton ....: 28 cents each half-ounce. F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General

Twelve cents per balf ounce.

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fine of Six cents cuch.

Hongkong, 28th July, 1870. It is hereby notified for general information that, the rates of postage, which must be paid in advance on correspondence transmitted from Hongkong or any of the Postal Agencies in Ohina and Japan to the United Kingdom, by Private Ship, will in future be as follows, viz.:-FOR LETTERS.

FOR NEWSPAPERS.

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Unpaid or insufficiently paid Letters will be charged with a fine of Twelve cents in addition to the deficient postage.
Unpaid Books and Patterns will be charged t the rate of Twelve cents per four ounces

The Registration fee on Letters, &c., is 8 F. W. MITCHELL, L'ostmaster General General Post Office.

Insufficiently paid Books and Patterns will

be charged with the deficient rostage and a

Hongkong, 20th October, 1870. The Spanish Consul having represented the annoyance arising from Letters being, contrary to Law, sent on board the Spanish Men of War, which leave this harbour fortnightly with the Mails for Manila, it is hereby notified that, benoeforward, all Letters, except such as are received in the Mails from this Department, will be refused on board these vessels.

. F. W. MITCHELL.

Postmaster General. Seneral Post Office, Hongkong, 2nd December, 1870. It is hereby notified that in consequence of the increasing difficulties which attend the

The rates of postage, which must be paid in advance, upon correspondence whether marked via Marseilles or via Brindisi, will be as follows. "FOR LETTERS." Addressed to-The United Kingdom, 38 cents for each

transmission of the Mails for the United King-

done through France, it has been determined to

send these Mails, for the present, by way of

Brindisi, the Brenner Pass. Prassin and Bel-

The United States of America, 42 cents for each half-ounce. FOR NEWSPAPERS AND PRICES CURRENT. The United Kingdom........... 8 cents each. The United States of America... 10 cents each.

FOE BOOK PACKETS AND PACKETS OF The United Kingdom, under I ounce in weight, 4 cents; above I ounce and not exceeding 2 ounces, 8 cents; above 2 ounces and not The steamer leaving Shanghai same dute will exceeding 4 ounces, 14 cents; for every additional 4 ounces, 14 cents. The United States of America, 18 couts for

every four ounces. F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General

Hongkong, 2nd December, 1870.

For a Packet not exceeding I ounce ...

in weight ..... 2 cents. For a Packet above I ounce and not . exceeding 2 ounces...... 4 For a Packet above 2 ounces and not For a Packet above 4 ounces and not ..

exceeding 8 ounces......16 F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General.

In the event of the non-arrival of the Frenca Steam or Volga from Yokobama, the mails for India, Europe, &c., per French Packet Labourdoingis, will close at 11 A.M. to-day, the 9th instant. Letters for registration will be received up

Höngkong, 16th June, 1870.

to 10 A.M. F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster-General: Hongkong, 9th December, 1870,

scious Corsbration." in Macwillan's Magazine.

The Section Language. Yes, most decidedly a language Land no more are prepared expressly to relieve and cure all Above 3 months ] branch dialect or corruption of English than language, differing not merely from English in constituting nearly three-quarters of all the prounnelation, but in the possession of many sicknesses with which mankind suffer. The bunutiful words, which are not and never were active principles of Bristol's Sugar conted Pills English, and in the use of inflections unknown are to literary and spoken English since the days of Piers Ploughman and Chaucer. The English and Scotch languages are both mainly derived both sample vegetables, but both potent for from the Teutonic; five or six hundred years controlling the liver-cleansing it of all slugago, they may be correctly described as having gish secretions, and invigorating it to a state been Anglo Saxonand Scoto Baxon. Timebas re- of bealthy and natural action. placed the Anglo-Soxon by the modern English, but has spared the Scuto-Saxon, which still remains a living speech. Though the children of one mother, the two have lived apart, received different educations, developed them. selves under dissimilar circumstances, and rugeired necretions from independent and unrolated sources. The English as far as it Is the oft-repeated inquiry which domes to us remains an Angle-Saxon tongue, is derived from the most distant sections of the world from the Low German with a mixture of alont our Murbay & LANMAN'S FLORIDA the Scandingvian and Icelandic; while the Low- WATER. land scotch, or Scoto-Saxon, is indebted more immediately to the Dutch, Flemish, and Danish, both for its fundamental and most characteristic Is also a query often put to us. Of course we words, and for its inflection and grammer. The are not willing to make our formula known, English, like the Tentonic, bristles with con- and all such questions remain manawered. sonants. The Scotch is us spangled with "Ah!" says one, "I smell vowels as a mendow with daisles in the month of May, English, though perhaps the most muscular and copious language in the world, is barsh and sibilant; while the Soutch, with its ing." Still we answer nothing, because, were beautiful terminational diminutives, is almost | we either to dony or admit, it would be equally as soft as the Italian. English songs, like those of Moore and Campbell, however excellent they may be as poetical compositions, are, for these ressons, not so available for musical purposes are as plain as they can be." But to this also as the songs of Scotland. Arr Englishman, if he our only reply is silence—premising here, howsings of a "pretty little girl," uses words de- ever, that if our great Perfume depended on ficient in cuphony, and suggests comedy rather than sentiment; but when a Scotchinan sings poor indeed. "Yes, yes!" exclaimed a third; of a "bonnic wee lassic," he employs words "but you cannot decove me! that are much softer than their English equivamour of the Scottish Lunguage," in Blackwood.

lonts, express a tenderer idea, and are infinitely better adapted to music. The Poetry and Hu-Europe and its Geological Changes. THE ADVENT OF MAN. Europe stretched fur out beyond Britain into the Atlantic, and supported herds of deer allied to the Axis and Russ, now found only in the hot countries of the East, the mastudon and the countries of the East, the mastudon and the sabre toothed tiger, the gigantic Elaphas or the rich perfume of the gorgeous Magnelia, meridionalis, and sundry kinds of antelopes. But the truth is that the many floral extracts The presence of these animals necessarily implies that the climate at that time was warmer than at the present day. The erag of Norfolk and Suffolk, and perhaps the Forestbed of those counties that bas farnished so many wondrous forms of extinct mammalia, are so exactly and perfectly blanded together are the only traces of this state of things in | that it is quite impossible to detect the distinc-Britain; but deposits of this age occupy wide tive odour of any single one. The effect of the areas in France, Germany, and Italy. At the combination is the most agreeable and refresh-close of the Pleiocene epoch, the climate in ing perfume to be found anywhere. We have gradually became colder; and while never get rired of it; the longer we use it, we this was going on, the continent, north of a enjoy it the more." But this can be said only line passing through the valley of the Thames of the Murray & Laman's FLORIDA straight through North Germany and far into WATER. There are others who offer for sale Russia, slowly sank beneath the waves of the fluids which they they call Florida Water, but Russia, slowly sank bonests, the waves of the monderful virtues of these climatel and geographical changes they possess none of the wonderful virtues of sea. These climatel and geographical changes they possess none of the wonderful virtues of Murray & Languages; and buyers should always archipelago, Scandinavia was an island, and glacters slid down . from the mountains, to the sea, to float off as borns, laden with the rocks and other detritus which cover our hills and valleys north of the Timmes like a great tattered mantle. While the conditions of life were thus being changed in Europe, the animals fitted for a warm climate were compelled to retreat southwards to the shores of the Meditermnean, and some, such as the mustodou, became extinct. The period of depression of northern Europe, or the Glucial period, forms a clear line of demarcation in the region where the boulder clay is found. In the countries south of the line above mentioned, wheretheland was above water, and consequently could not be traversed-by-icebergs, the Preglacial or Pleiocene strata gradually pass into the Postglacial or Quaternary, without any sharp boundary, and the animal remains afford. the only key to the age of the deposits. At last the sinking of the land ceased, and a corresponding elevation took place, until Britain formed again part of the continent of Europe. The temperature, however, still continued to he very severe. Nearly the whole of Wales; Scotland, Ireland, and Cumbria, Lancasbire and Derbyshire, were covered with odormous musees of ice, like those in Greenland, that have left indistratable traces of their presence in the and all Ulcerous and Eraptive. Disorders, moraines, and the smooth and polished beyond the reach of competition. The world surfaces of rocks over which they passed. It is indeed very possible that the ARREST Supputation. elevation of northern Enrope took place during the Glacial period, and that these insulted areas, full of traces of glacier notion, are merely rage and tactors of a vest sheet of ice that covered nearly the whole of central and northern Europe. Whether this be true or not, there can be no doubt that gluciers continued to occupy certain spots in British and France, such as North Walos and Auvergne, after the glacial submergence, and during the time that the characteristic naimals of the Quaternary, or Postglucial, or Postpleiocene epoch ware living in those countries, of distempers. As a general Corrective, Tonic These physical changes naturally caused a and Alterntive, its importance is afficient revolution in the animal life. Driven from their the best medical talent of the age, and the sick ancient homes in northern Asia by the intense and feeble everywhere place the fullest faith in severity of the cold, or allured by the favourable its preventive and remedical properties. The conditions of life in Europe, the reindeer, value of the BRISTOL'S SARSAPARILLA. musk-sheep, mammoth, the great woolly as an antidofe to the complaints which prevail rhinoceroe, the glutton, and the lemming spread in Spains and Susiman, cannot be overrated. through the whole continent north of a line During these seasons the human physique is passing through the Alps and the Pyrences, subjected to severe trials. It requires rein-attenting by their very presence the severity of forcement, it demands help, in order to withthe climate. Some of them even passed the Alps, stand the strain. We all know the debilitating and one, the marmooth, was fortunate enough to | and dangerous, tendency of

The Germans bave sent Dr. Holder, of Corlsrube, to see if he din (recover any) fragments of the great Strusberg Library that they have burnt, As might be anticipated, the work of destruction had been effectually performed.

have been overwheliged in the showers of volcanie

sub that now constitute the Seven Hills. The

animals, however, which inhabited Europe before their advant did not disappear en masse,
but only those which were delicately constituted, and which could not adapt themselves to
the changed conditions of life. The Elophas
antiquus, two kinds of rhinoceros, and the hip-

popotamus ranged ut least as, far north as

Britain; and their remains lie in the bone caves

and river deposits, along with those, of the

was Southern Europe. The red-deer also sur-

rived, and the horses continued to live in vast

arctic invaders. Their true home, nevertheless,

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tt 366. Hongkong, 7th February, 1867. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY to the amount of Not Premis contributed. OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned having been appointed Assents in Chiua for the above INBURANCE COMPANY, are propared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the Current Rates. RUSSELL & Co. '62.573 . Hongkong, 2nd March, 1867. . . . YANG-TSZE INSURANUE ASSUCIA-

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